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- 1. THE EMBASSY IS REQUESTED TO SUBMIT PROPOSED LETTER OF AGREEMENT FOR PURCHASE OF EIGHT LIGHT HELICOPTERS, CARGO AIRCRAFT AND LEASE OF TWIN OTTER.
- 2. THE REQUEST FOR FOUR OF THE PROPOSED LIGHT HELICOPTERS IS ATTRIBUTABLE TO THE NEED TO LOCATE NARCOTIC FIELDS AND VERIFY ERADICATION CAMPAIGN RESULTS, AS STATED IN PARA 7 REFTEL, WHICH CAN NO LONGER BE PERFORMED EFFECTIVELY IN FIXED-WING AIRCRAFT BECAUSE OF THE TREND TOWARDS SMALLER AND MORE DISPERSED FIELDS WHICH MAKES DISCOVERY EVEN MORE TENUOUS. THEREFORE, FIXED-WING AIRCRAFT WHICH FORMERLY UNCLASSIFIED

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